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## Yale Law Dean Addresses 607 January Graduates at UNH

"Use your minds and hearts" to find real solutions to society's problems and "you will have taken the best advantage of what the gift of education has given you," Guido Calabresi, dean of the Yale University Law School and principal commencement speaker, told students at UNH's winter graduation exercises held on Sunday, Jan. 22, in the Athletic Complex on the North Campus.

More than 600 men and women received associate's, bachelor's, and master's degrees during the 2 1/2-hour ceremony, while hundreds of their friends and relatives looked on, applauding frequently.

Calabresi, who was awarded an honorary doctor of humane letters degree following his address, spoke about scapegoating and its relationship to education. He defined scapegoating as the shedding of responsibility for something and the passing of that responsibility on to others. Citing several historical and legal examples of scapegoating, he said, "It is easier to focus on symbols than to seek the causes of problems and do something about those causes."

But, he declared, education brings with it an obligation, because it "teaches us to think, analyze, and generalize"—that is, to assume responsibility and "find the underlying causes" for social problems.

Noting that scapegoating may be the easy way out, Calabresi nevertheless charged his listeners to eschew that course and go after "real solutions."

In addition to Calabresi, those receiving honorary degrees in January were: New Haven Colony Historical Society Librarian and Curator of Manuscripts Emeritus Ottilia Koel; Benhaven, Inc. founder Amy Lettick; and Yale history professor and China scholar Jonathan Spence. (For more on honorary degree recipients, see p. 2.)

The commencement ceremony, over which Norman I. Botwinik, chairman of the university's Board of Governors, presided, included the conferral by President Phillip Kaplan of more than 240 undergraduate and 360 graduate degrees in arts and sciences; business; engineering; hotel, restaurant and tourism administration; and professional studies.

In addition to Kaplan and Botwinik, other participants in the event included the provost and associate provost, who assisted with the honorary degrees; the deans of the university's six schools, who presented the degree candidates to the president; Stanley



Elbert D. Brown, Jr. poses with two potential UNH students after picking up his M.B.A.

Gnizdowski (B.S.'72), vice-president of the UNH Alumni Association, who welcomed the graduates into the alumni organization; and Rabbi Larry Heimer of the Congregation Sinai in West Haven, who gave the invocation and benediction. Music was provided by the West Haven Civic Orchestra Ensemble.

Afterward, students and their families attended a reception in the Student Center.



Peter T. Obier, B.S. (arson investigation), wore a symbol of his profession to the commencement exercises.



A standing-room-only audience looked on as the January '89 graduates processed to the stage to receive their hard-earned degrees.

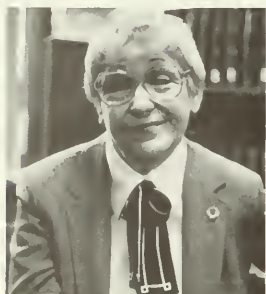
## January 1989 Honorary Degree Recipients



Guido Calabresi

**Guido Calabresi**  
Doctor of Humane Letters

Dean, Yale University Law School; distinguished legal educator; author; fellow of American Academy of Arts and Sciences; UNH Commencement speaker, January 1989.



Ottilia Koel

**Ottilia Koel**  
Doctor of Humane Letters

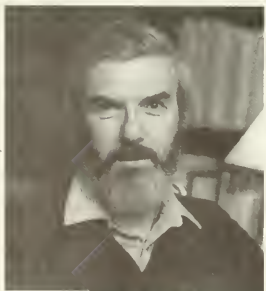
Librarian and Curator of Manuscripts Emeritus, Whitney Library, New Haven Colony Historical Society; acclaimed archivist; responsible for cataloguing documented material and original sources on Colonial America for Historical Society, thus establishing national reputation for Society's collection.



Amy Ladin Lettick

**Amy Ladin Lettick**  
Doctor of Humane Letters

Founder (1967) of Benhaven, Inc., school for autistic and brain-damaged children; innovative leader in education and care of such "special" youngsters.



Jonathan Dermot Spence

**Jonathan Dermot Spence**  
Doctor of Humane Letters

George B. Adams Professor of History and Acting Director Whitney Humanities Center, Yale University; noted historian, educator, and China scholar; prize-winning author; member, Library of Congress Council of Scholars; Guggenheim fellow.

## School of Arts & Sciences Sets New Honors Program

As part of an ongoing effort to attract outstanding students to its full-time undergraduate programs, the University of New Haven has established a four-year honors program for individuals enrolled in the School of Arts & Sciences. The David Humphreys Honors Program, which will be formally inaugurated next fall, is designed primarily for entering freshmen who have demonstrated high academic achievement at the secondary-school level, have met other program requirements, and plan to follow a liberal arts or science major at the university.

Transfer students and those already enrolled at UNH may also be accepted into the honors program if they meet the program's standards of academic performance and apply prior to completing 50 credits of coursework toward an arts and sciences degree at UNH.

"The addition of the honors program is exciting," said Allen L. Sack, professor of sociology and director of the program. "It is consistent with the university's strong commitment to the arts and sciences, and it is a clear indication that the university believes, as I do, that quality arts and sciences offerings are essential to a distinguished institution of higher learning such as UNH."

The honors program, formulated by a committee of Arts & Sciences faculty and approved by the university, consists of 30 credits, 24 credits (8 courses) of which are innovative, upgraded versions of the existing university-wide core courses required of all UNH students. The program also includes a two-semester, six-credit senior seminar, during which students will write either a senior thesis or two extensive term papers.

Special features of the honors program include small classes, intermittent outside speakers, and a supportive intellectual atmosphere in which participants will have regular contact with faculty and other students who are committed to academic excellence. In addition, all applicants to the program will be nominated for university excellence awards and UNH presidential scholarships.

Honors courses will be specially noted on students' transcripts, and those who successfully complete the four-year program will be recognized as honors scholars at commencement.

David Humphreys, after whom the UNH arts and sciences honors program has been named, was a soldier, diplomat, manufacturer, and intellectual from Derby, CT. Born in 1752, he was both a practical man of action and an intellectual devoted to literature and the arts — making him an appropriate model for honors students enrolled in the School of Arts & Sciences.

Commenting on the honors program, Joseph B. Chepaitis, dean of the School of Arts & Sciences, said: "The establishment of this program signals an important step in the growth and development of the University of New Haven. It will enable us actively to recruit outstanding students who are interested in a top-notch liberal arts education and provide them with a challenging learning experience throughout their years at UNH."

Recruiting for the program is currently underway. Arts & Sciences and Admissions staff say they have met with favorable reactions and hope to begin the fall semester with up to 15 students in the honors curriculum. ■



## Project UCAN Promotes Early Awareness About College

Just over a year ago, the University of New Haven and the Roberto Clemente Middle School decided to pool their efforts in an attempt to motivate inner-city children to complete high school and seek a post-secondary education. The result of that collaboration was Project UCAN (the University/Clemente Academic Advancement Network).

UCAN's primary goals are to promote early awareness about higher education, assist the Clemente school in its efforts to motivate and raise the career aspirations of pre-high school students, improve student and parent understanding of colleges and universities and of the admissions and financial aid processes they use, and, ultimately, to increase the number of minority students seeking higher education.

To these ends, Project UCAN coordinators offered a variety of activities for Clemente students, especially those in eighth grade, during the first half of 1988. The activities included: a workshop on career planning

conducted by UNH's director of career development, programs on study and writing skills; presentations on college admissions and financial aid procedures; and workshops on student leadership and student activities.

Those initial programs, which culminated in a June 1988 reception at UNH for the participating Clemente students, were highly successful. As a result, similar types of UCAN activities are continuing both at Clemente and on the UNH campus during the current academic year.

"Project UCAN got off to a very good start," said Robert Caruso, dean of admission services at the university and one of UCAN's initiators, "and we're working hard to continue and expand upon last year's activities. These children are an important community resource for the future. As an educator, I believe it is both our duty and our privilege to help them become aware of the opportunities higher education can offer them." ■



Project UCAN participants from the Roberto Clemente Middle School enjoy the UNH reception in their honor.

## Do You Remember?

### THE UNH/WHITE HOUSE CONNECTION

Ten years ago, George Bush, then considered a possible contender for the 1980 Republican presidential nomination, came to the university to address the January 1979 commencement audience and receive an honorary doctor of laws degree at the mid-year graduation exercises. Today, he is president of the United States.

Bush, who was sworn in as the nation's 41st Chief Executive just days ago, was thought by some to be a top GOP presidential prospect at the time of his appearance on the UNH campus. He lost the nomination to Ronald Reagan, however, but then agreed to be Reagan's running mate. The Reagan-Bush ticket was victorious in the 1980 election, and Bush served as vice-president from January 1981 until he moved up to the White House this year.

Prior to seeking the presidency in 1980, Bush was director of the Central Intelligence Agency (1976-77) and chief of the U.S. Liaison Office in Peking (1974-76). He has also been a two-term congressman from Texas, U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations, and chairman of the Republican



George Bush was the featured speaker at UNH's January 1979 Commencement exercises.

National Committee.

Before turning to public service, he built from scratch an off-shore oil drilling company headquartered in Texas, won a Phi Beta Kappa key and captained a championship baseball team at Yale University (where he earned a B.S. in economics), and served as a much-decorated navy pilot in World War II.

Congratulations on your inauguration, Mr. President. UNH would be pleased to welcome you back to the campus at any time. ■

## Over 1,000 High School Students Attend Admissions Open House

Over 1,000 high school students and their parents came to an undergraduate admissions open house at UNH on Sunday, Nov. 13. In addition to Connecticut residents, students from New York, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, and Ohio attended.

Participants heard brief talks by UNH President Phillip Kaplan and Robert

Caruso, dean of admission services. Presentations followed at various campus locations by representatives of the Schools of Arts & Sciences; Business; Engineering; Hotel, Restaurant & Tourism Administration; and Professional Studies & Continuing Education. Attendees also had access to information on financial aid and UNH's cooperative education and athletic programs, and campus tours were available. ■

## UNH's Fund For Engineering Receives Gifts Totaling \$300,000

The University of New Haven has recently received contributions totaling \$300,000 for its Fund For Engineering. The gifts bring the amount raised by the fund — established in 1987 to seek money to expand and upgrade the university's engineering laboratories, endow student and faculty scholarships, and enhance engineering-related computer capabilities on the campus — to more than \$1.6 million, or over three-quarters of its \$2 million goal.

Among the newly received contributions are:

1. \$100,000 from Echlin, Inc. to help construct a new manufacturing laboratory in the industrial engineering department;

2. \$75,000 from the Electric Boat division of General Dynamics for the fluid and thermal sciences laboratory in support of the university's mechanical engineering programs;

3. \$50,000 from MacDermid, Inc. to purchase specialized equipment for the chemical instrumentation laboratory;

4. \$25,000 from the Miles Foundation to augment the chemical instrumentation laboratory;

5. \$24,000 from Dresser Industries to assist in equipping the new manufacturing laboratory;

6. \$10,000 from the Harvey Hubbell Foundation to

support the manufacturing laboratory;

7. \$10,000 from the Warner-Lambert Company for the chemical instrumentation laboratory; and

8. \$6,800 from Norden Systems, a division of United Technologies, in the form of electrical and computer engineering equipment.

Previously announced gifts to the Fund For Engineering include a \$500,000 donation from Mrs. Clarice L. Buckman in memory of her late husband, Jacob Finley Buckman, a pioneer in the technology of electroplating and a co-founder of Ecthone Corporation; \$250,000 in computer equipment from the Hewlett-Packard Company; and \$200,000 worth of new microcomputer equipment from AT&T.

Commenting on the gifts, President Phillip Kaplan said: "The support the university has received for the Fund for Engineering is most gratifying. The contributions we are announcing today represent the continuation of an important partnership between UNH and area industry. This partnership will not only enhance the university's ability to prepare engineering students for the 21st century, but it will also contribute to a resurgence in America's technological leadership in the industrialized world." ■



The four Connecticut business leaders who discussed their views on management at the EMBA program's Executive Development Seminar are (from left): Murray Gerber (EMBA '78), Ed McLaughlin, Barbara Pearce, and Joel Schiavone.

## Business People Talk to EMBA Classes

Managers of the future will have to work hard to improve the image of American business, especially in the area of ethics.

That was just one of the conclusions reached by a panel of four corporate leaders who discussed their views on management and their business outlook at a seminar for graduating members of UNH's Executive Master of Business Administration program. Participants in the half-day Executive Development Seminar, held on Nov. 30, 1988, to mark the end of the two-year EMBA curriculum for the January graduates, were Murray Gerber (EMBA '78), president of Prototype and Plastic Mold in Middletown; Edmund S. McLaughlin, president of the Rehabilitation Center of Fairfield County, located in Bridgeport; Barbara Pearce, president of The H. Pearce Company of North Haven; and Joel Schiavone, president of The Schiavone Corporation, headquartered in New Haven.

In addition to the image problem, which the panelists said had emerged many years ago but had not yet been effectively dealt with by business, the four spoke of several areas in which tomorrow's managers will need to excel. These include communication — with the

public, with workers, with government, and with the international community — decision making, and consistency of management style.

With regard to decision making, they agreed that corporate leaders must be "benevolent dictators," that is, they must take the responsibility for establishing guidelines and setting the basic direction in which their companies will move. In other words, they said, strategic decisions must be made by top management; tactical or implementation decisions can be handled at other levels. Although information and input are important to the decision makers, basic direction is generally not established by consensus. Indeed, Schiavone pointed out that even the Japanese do not use the consensus method for top-level decision making. Rather, he noted, consensus comes into play in tactical areas of Japanese business.

The Executive MBA program is an intensive two-year graduate degree especially designed for middle- and upper-level managers, professionals, and entrepreneurs. More than 600 regional executives have graduated from the program since it was established by UNH in 1976. ■

All resident students at UNH now have their own mailboxes. The university has provided 1,000 mailboxes, each equipped with a combination lock, for students to receive personal mail. Students have access to the boxes on weekdays from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m., and on Saturday mornings.





## Chemistry Research Facility Established on UNH Campus

An important new research facility has recently been established on the University of New Haven campus. It is the Institute of Analytical and Environmental Chemistry, an applied research entity with capabilities in three general areas: sample analysis, property measurements, and custom synthesis.

Administered by the nonprofit UNH Foundation and headquartered in the university's School of Engineering, the Institute is, in the first instance, a state-certified laboratory for the analysis of various water pollutants — including PCBs, pesticides, herbicides, and metals — that may appear in drinking water, ground water, industrial effluent, and landfill soil.

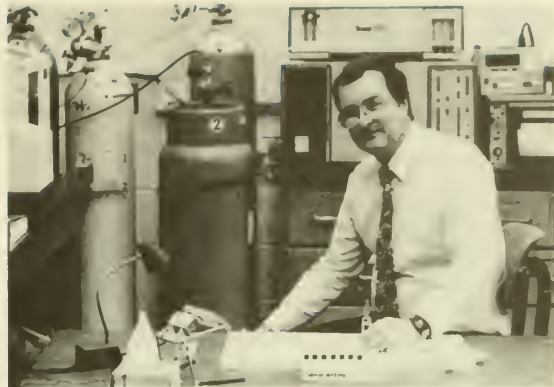
In addition, the Institute is equipped to measure the physical properties of various types of compounds, look at the stability and shelf life of certain products, and estimate the environmental impact of the dissipation of specific pollutants.

Finally, the Institute has the

capability of synthesizing small quantities (up to a kilogram) of certain compounds used in biochemical studies as well as suspected pollutants and products needed to establish identification standards.

"There is a real need for increased capability in all these areas of chemical and environmental analysis," said George L. Wheeler, director of the Institute and J.F. Buckman Professor of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering at UNH, "and our new facility is ready to fill that need. Furthermore, we are state-certified, which means that we have met very exacting state standards so that analyses performed in our laboratory will be recognized as thoroughly competent and will stand up in court if our clients require them for that purpose."

The Institute is geared to accept specific projects, under contract, and perform the necessary research on a confidential basis using UNH equipment, laboratory facilities, and staff. Several



Professor George Wheeler displays some of the equipment to be used by the new Institute of Analytical and Environmental Chemistry.

such contracts are currently in the negotiation stage and, according to Wheeler, are expected to be signed shortly.

Among those working with Wheeler on Institute contracts will be Dr. Hamdy Balba, an adjunct professor of environmental chemistry at UNH and a chemistry professional employed by the Uniroyal Chemical Corporation.

Clients most likely to seek the Institute's services include chemical companies, consulting firms, regulatory agencies, and municipalities.

Commenting on the establishment of the Institute, UNH President Phillip Kaplan said: "This new facility is an excellent addition to our campus. It puts the university in the forefront of applied analysis in the chemical and environmental fields and adds an important dimension to our academic programs in chemistry and chemical engineering. At the same time, it will fill an urgent need in our region — which is important to the university as well." ■



Officers of the university met with students during the fall semester to report on matters of interest and address student concerns. Visible at the head table (from left): Joseph Carilli, vice-president for administration; Frederick Fischer, vice-president for finance; and (standing) Phillip Kaplan, president. Partially hidden behind President Kaplan: Alexis Sommers, provost.

## UNH Holds Workshop for Budding Scientists

The University of New Haven hosted a special workshop for high school and junior high students and teachers who are interested in participating in the 1989 Connecticut Science Fair. The workshop was held on the UNH campus on Saturday, Nov. 19. The purpose of the event was to allow participants to learn, directly from representatives of the Science Fair, how to select an appropriate project and get it ready for display at the Fair, which is scheduled for the week of March 27.

Among those making presentations at the workshop

were George Wisner from United Technologies, who is serving as chairman of the Science Fair, and representatives from United Illuminating, which sponsored the preparatory session.

The featured speaker at the workshop was Dr. Lahmer Lynds, senior scientist at the United Technologies Research Center in East Hartford, who discussed recent advances in high temperature superconductivity. Lynds' talk also included a demonstration of some special characteristics of superconductors. ■

## UNH Implements Transfer Credit Agreements

The university has signed agreements with South Central Community College (SCCC) under which qualified students earning associate's degrees from SCCC in any of three business-related areas (business administration, accounting, and data processing) or in hotel/restaurant management may transfer to a related bachelor's degree program at UNH without significant loss of academic credits.

The agreements require advance planning on the part of SCCC students who expect to seek a bachelor's degree at UNH and specify particular courses offered by SCCC that will be accepted for transfer credit by UNH as well as the conditions under which those credits will be honored. For example, SCCC students must earn grades of "C" or better in the specified courses in order to transfer the credits for those courses to UNH.

In addition, the hotel/restaurant program agreement provides that SCCC students who plan to seek a related bachelor's degree at UNH must, upon admission to South Central, sign a letter of

intent to transfer to UNH after they complete the two-year program at SCCC.

Commenting on the agreements, Robert Caruso, dean of admission services at UNH, said: "We are really pleased to have this opportunity to work with our colleagues at South Central Community College to encourage SCCC graduates in the designated fields of study to move into four-year degree programs at UNH. We applaud SCCC for joining us in this important endeavor, which is part of UNH's ongoing effort to build strong relationships with Connecticut's community colleges."

In a related action, UNH and Post College officials initialed a similar type of agreement on Nov. 9. Under the terms of this agreement, graduates of Post College would be assured of a waiver of certain UNH course requirements upon acceptance into the university's master of business administration program. (Specific waivers would be dependent on undergraduate course selection at Post.) ■



William Gere (right), dean of the Graduate School, discusses the UNH-Post College transfer agreement with Phyllis C. DeLeo, dean of academic affairs at Post, and Frederick C. Hartman, dean of the School of Business Administration at the Waterbury college.



The Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society's Student-Faculty Tea, held in November, brought faculty and honor students together in an informal setting. Pictured from left to right: Randy Thompson, an adjunct faculty member in the English department; Linda Copney, a Lambda Delta member and administrative secretary in the Counseling Center; and Sonia Chan, also a member of Lambda Delta.

## UNH Receives New Haven Foundation Grant for TAP

The University of New Haven has received a \$30,000 grant from the New Haven Foundation to help support the university's recently inaugurated Tuition Assistance Program (TAP).

TAP is a UNH pilot project, begun in July 1988, designed to provide tuition assistance to low-income Connecticut residents who are academically qualified to attend the university but who might be unable to enroll due to financial constraints (see *Insight*, Fall 1988). The goal of the program is to locate—in conjunction with local school boards, businesses, and community organizations—talented low-income individuals and assist them in applying for admission to UNH, obtaining the necessary financial aid, and successfully completing a course of study leading to a degree or professional certificate from the university.

With the implementation of TAP, UNH has embarked on what it expects to be a long-term effort to help economically disadvantaged citizens in all

age groups achieve career goals, become productive members of the workforce, and take advantage of the wide range of opportunities presented by our changing society.

University officials have termed the initial response to the program "most encouraging." More than 50 potential students applied for TAP assistance last summer; approximately 25 of those met the academic and economic qualifications and are currently enrolled at UNH and participating in the program. The university expects that number to reach between 50 and 100 over the next 18 months.

Discussing the New Haven Foundation grant, President Phillip Kaplan said: "We welcome the Foundation's support for this very important program. The funds will help us administer the TAP project effectively and provide TAP participants with the various types of assistance and support services they will require to succeed." ■



## University's Doctoral Program Receives Full Accreditation

The University of New Haven this fall received full accreditation from the Connecticut Board of Governors for Higher Education (BOGH) for the UNH doctor of science program in management systems.

"We are very pleased with the Board's action in this important matter," said President Phillip Kaplan. "We had received licensure to begin offering the program two years ago, but it is the granting of accreditation that conveys full state recognition

of the quality of the program."

Kaplan also pointed out that the BOGH vote to accredit the doctoral program is an important milestone in the development of the university. "With the accreditation of the doctorate in management systems, the University of New Haven is now authorized to confer the highest degree an institution of higher education can give — the doctorate. We have worked hard to reach this level of maturity, and we are gratified that our efforts have been recognized by the

BOGH."

Kaplan added that the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC), the regional accrediting body to which UNH belongs, has also reviewed the doctoral program and conferred full accreditation upon it, thereby acknowledging that the university has the resources, in terms of faculty and library, to support doctoral-level graduate study.

The UNH doctor of science program in management systems is designed to

promote advanced study by traditional graduate students, middle or upper management personnel in both the public and private sectors, and qualified people in education and the professions. The program's goals include the enhancement of conceptual and analytical abilities, the identification and pursuit of creative research opportunities, and the acquisition of academic knowledge and expertise for application to the practical environment. Located within the School of Business and supported by the Graduate School, the program is offered primarily for part-time students but is available to all qualified graduate students. ■

## Thai Officials Visit UNH

Two special visitors arrived at President Kaplan's office last fall. They were Wilawan Youngmisuk and Boonplook Chaiket, educational representatives from the Royal Thai Embassy in Washington, D.C., who came to the campus on Oct. 5 to meet with university officials and students from their country who are currently attending UNH. This year, 44 graduate and undergraduate students from Thailand are enrolled in degree programs at the university.

While here, Youngmisuk and Chaiket met with Dr. Kaplan and the deans, lunched with the officers of the university, spoke with students from their country, and attended a university-wide reception in their honor in the Student Center Lounge.

According to Mary Idzior, director of the international services office, UNH invited the Thai officials to the campus to provide them with a first-hand look at both the facilities and the academic programs available to students from their country.

"We really enjoyed having them here," said Idzior, "and we are confident that they gained a good impression of the university and will continue to encourage Thai students to study at UNH." ■

President Kaplan greets Boonplook Chaiket (left) and Wilawan Youngmisuk (center) in his office.



Wilawan Youngmisuk (right), guidance officer at the Royal Thai Embassy, talks with UNH students from Thailand during her visit to the campus last fall. This year 44 graduate and undergraduate students from Youngmisuk's country are enrolled in degree programs at the university.

# A ROUND CAMPUS

This information was prepared and written by the staff of the Public Relations Office from information supplied by UNH faculty and staff.

## Provost's Office

Dr. Nancyanne Rabianski, assistant provost for students' academic development, was one of 23 people invited by the U.S. Department of Education to participate in a roundtable discussion on the ability of students to benefit from federal financial assistance. The meeting, held in Washington, DC, on Oct. 18-19, 1988, focused on such topics as the identification of students likely to use financial aid to successfully complete a degree, instruction for high-risk students, and new legislation that limits students receiving federal financial aid to the equivalent of one year of remediation.

Associate Provost Caroline Dinegar was invited to participate in a panel discussion on "The Jesse Jackson Campaign" at the New England Political Science Association's fall 1988 meeting in Providence, RI. Dinegar was asked to join the panel as a result of recognition she received for a paper she presented several years ago on Jackson's 1984 presidential campaign.

In addition, Dr. Dinegar was the featured speaker at the Nov. 16 meeting of the West Haven Civitan Club. Her topic on that occasion was electoral behavior and recent changes in the American political system.

Hanko Dobi has been appointed associate director of libraries at the university. In her new capacity, she will be responsible for the development of the collection in the Marvin K. Peterson Library on the main campus. In addition, Dobi, formerly the university's reference librarian, will retain responsibility for the reference

and research functions in the library system, as well as for UNH's off-campus library sites. She holds a master of library science degree from Drexel University.

## School of Professional Studies & Continuing Education

Irv Donahue has joined the cooperative education staff as coordinator for the Schools of Engineering and Professional Studies & Continuing Education. Donahue comes to UNH from the University of Bridgeport, where he served as co-op coordinator for the past two and a half years. Prior to that, he spent more than 26 years as a manager with General Electric.

The Aviation Department has a new faculty member this year. Richard L. Penn, USAF retired, was appointed assistant professor of aviation at the beginning of the current academic year. An experienced pilot and former president of Electrodyne Corporation, Penn holds a B.S. in engineering from the U.S. Air Force Academy, a B.A. in history from the University of Maryland, and a master's degree in management from Central Michigan University.

Clifton Bush, Jr. has been appointed coordinator of the university's new Tuition Assistance Program. A 1973 UNH graduate and resident of New Haven, Bush has held administrative and faculty positions with such companies and institutions as Capitol Market, M.I.F. Industries, New Hampshire College, and South Central Community College.

## School of Arts & Sciences

Professor of English David

Sloane was the lead-off speaker for the fall '88 lecture series at the Mark Twain Memorial in Hartford. In talks on Oct. 11 and 12, Sloane discussed the subject of "Huck's Women," using material developed for his most recent book, *Adventures of Huckleberry Finn: American Comic Vision*, which was published last summer.

Benjamin Weybrew, associate professor of psychology and Steve Jex, who received his M.A. degree in industrial/organizational psychology from UNH in 1984 and is now completing his Ph.D at the University of South Florida, recently published a paper entitled "Stress in a Seminar on Stress: A Methodological Study" in *Psychological Reports* (vol. 63, 1988). The factor analytical methodology described in the paper originated from an experiment conducted by Weybrew, Jex, and other UNH graduate students.

Connoisseurs of art have had several opportunities to see the work of Beth Moffitt, professor of fine arts, over the past year. During 1988, she had three solo exhibitions — at UNH in February, at the Chester (CT) Gallery in May, and at the Silvermine Guild of Artists in New Canaan in the fall. She also participated in four group shows and a benefit art auction last year. Moffitt plans to visit the Tyrone Guthrie Centre in Ireland next summer on an artist's fellowship. During her month-long residency there, she will work on a series of landscape paintings.

Tom McGrath has joined the UNH community as practitioner-in-residence and coordinator for the B.S. in biomedical computing program, which is offered through the biology department. McGrath, who holds a B.S. in electrical engineering from UNH and an M.S. in biological engineering from the University of Connecticut, is also currently serving as assistant professor

and chairman of the biomedical/electronics department at the Greater New Haven State Technical College.

During 1988, Michael Morris, professor of psychology, published an article entitled "Welcome to the Twilight Zone: Using a Realistic Job Preview to Introduce the Organizational Behavior Course" in *The Organizational Behavior Teaching Review*. In addition, his chapter on "Fighting Poverty by Reducing Dependency: The Dilemma of Policy Assumptions" appeared in *Poverty and Social Welfare in the United States*, edited by Donald Tomaskovic-Devey. Morris also presented a paper, "A Nightmare in Elm City: When Evaluation Field Experiences Meet Organizational Politics," at the annual meeting of the American Evaluation Association, which was held in New Orleans in October.

Dean Joseph B. Chepaitis was recently elected to the Connecticut Academy of Arts & Sciences.

## School of Engineering

M. Ali Montazer, associate professor of industrial engineering and computer science, made a presentation on "Computer Simulation: A Pre-Eminent Problem Solving Tool" during a session on simulation and laboratory applications at the fall conference of the New England section of the American Society for Engineering Education, held at the University of Hartford.

Michael Collura, assistant professor of chemical engineering, has co-authored "Energy-Saving Distillation Design in Ethanol Production," which appeared in the Sept. 1988 issue of the journal *I&EC Research*.

Michael Saliby, associate professor of chemistry and chairman of the department of chemistry and chemical engineering, is the co-author



of an article which was published in the December issue of *Inorganic Chemistry*.

The civil engineering concrete canoe racing team, in their vessel "Destroyer," competed in the October regional concrete canoe races at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, NY. The UNH team copped third place in the mixed team (men and women) competition and third in the faculty race as well. Overall, they came in fifth. Undaunted, team members are now preparing for the spring competition, which will take place at the University of Maryland.

Civil engineering Professor John C. Martin, who played a major role in the creation and development of the civil engineering department, has announced his intention to retire at the end of the current academic year. He has been a faculty member at UNH for 24 years.

David J. Wall, associate professor and chairman of civil and environmental engineering, has been elected treasurer of the Connecticut Society of Civil Engineers/American Society of Civil Engineers (CSCE/ASCE). He has also been selected vice-chairman of the committee on the application of emerging technologies of ASCE's Water Resources Planning and Management Division. In the latter capacity, he will chair a session on automated mapping and facilities management at the division's annual meeting in Sacramento, CA, in May.

Gregory Broderick, assistant professor of civil engineering, was invited by the National Science Foundation to serve on its panel to evaluate nominees for Presidential Young Investigator awards in the area of mechanics, structures, and materials engineering. The panel met in Washington, DC, in November.

M. Hamdy Bechir, professor of civil and

environmental engineering, recently visited the People's Republic of China as a member of the People to People Environmental Delegation to that country. The purpose of the visit was to establish links between Americans and Chinese with similar environmental interests.

## School of Hotel, Restaurant & Tourism Administration

Effective last September, Barbara M. Bauer became associate professor and chairperson of the dietetics department at UNH. Bauer, a registered dietitian, received her B.S. in home economics and nutrition from Mansfield State University and holds an M.S. degree in higher education from George Washington University as well as a doctorate in educational administration from Pennsylvania State University. She is currently serving as president of the Southern Connecticut Dietetic Association.

Elisabeth van Dyke, assistant professor and chairperson of the department of tourism and travel administration, and Thomas Noble, assistant professor in the same department, attended the 8th annual meeting of the Society of Travel and Tourism Educators in Long Beach, CA, in November. At the meeting, van Dyke was elected to a two-year term on the society's board of directors.

Dean James F. Downey has been named to the advisory committee for the hotel/restaurant management program at South Central Community College (see related story on p. 6).

More than 100 alumni, friends, students, and professionals attended a reception given by the school at the Marriott Marquis in New York City in November. The reception was held in conjunction with the 73rd

annual International Hotel, Motel and Restaurant Show, at which UNH representatives provided information about relevant academic programs available at the university.

The school's Industry Advisory Council met for dinner in the university's Epicurean Dining Room on Dec. 9. The principal topics for discussion included goals and objectives for the school and trends in the hospitality industry.

## Admissions & Financial Aid

Staff members from the financial aid office have recently presented workshops on the financial aid process at seven Connecticut high schools. Additional sessions are on tap during the coming months.

James Anderson, financial aid director, was the featured guest on the Dec. 5 edition of a radio talk show on WSTC in Stamford. Topic of the evening: financial aid (what else?). Anderson, who is currently serving as vice-president of the Connecticut Association of Professional Financial Aid Administrators, also arranged the December meeting of the CAPFAA, which was held on the UNH campus. Items discussed at the meeting included the 1989-90 Financial Aid Form and the use of professional judgment in financial aid decisions.

Robert Caruso, dean of admission services at UNH, and Wilson Luna, director of financial aid at Greater New Haven State Technical College, will co-present "Higher Education and Middle Schools: Collaborating to Raise Student Aspirations" at the American College Personnel Association's annual convention in Washington, DC, this spring. The program will describe the preliminary results of independent initiatives by UNH and Greater New Haven State to implement early awareness programs for middle school

students. Selected as the "1989 Program of the Year" by the ACPA's Commission II (Admissions and Orientation), the presentation will also highlight the opportunities for student affairs and enrollment services professionals to reach new student populations. In this regard, the UNH Admissions Office has been involved during the past year with the Roberto Clemente Middle School of New Haven in a joint effort called Project UCAN (see story on p. 3).

## Development

Beth Gazley has recently joined the Development/Alumni staff at the university as development officer. In this capacity, she will be involved with numerous functions of the department, including arranging activities associated with Parents' Day, developing donor prospects, and working with computer software professionals to transfer departmental records to a new system.

Gazley comes to the university from Washington, DC, where she was assistant director for membership services for Business Executives for National Security. She holds a degree in political science from Middlebury College and a *Certificat d'Etudes Politiques* from the Institut d'Etudes Politiques in Paris.

## Public Relations

Two new staff members joined the Public Relations Office this past fall. They are Laura Heffernan, graphics coordinator, and Susan Noe, publications coordinator.

Heffernan, who came on board Oct. 3, holds a bachelor of fine arts degree, with a major in graphic design, from the State University of New York at Purchase. Noe, whose appointment was effective Oct. 10, received her B.A. degree in English from the University of Illinois. Prior to coming to UNH, she was managing editor at High Tech Publications in California. ■

# Homecoming ...

Saturday, Oct. 15, was Homecoming at UNH. Students, faculty, alumni, and friends participated in the celebration by attending Homecoming events and cheering for the Charger football team at the game against American International College. (The Chargers lost 51-21.)



Bob Long, a senior from Staten Island, NY, and Tamara Lang, a senior from St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, were crowned Homecoming king and queen, respectively, at the pep rally.



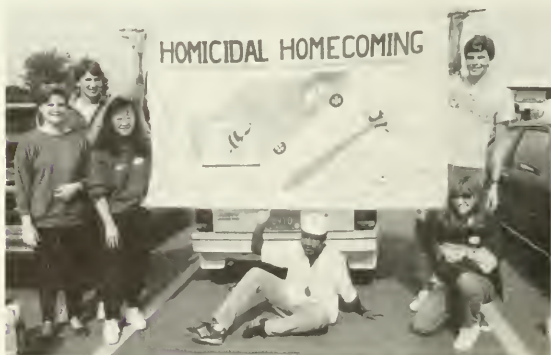
The UNH cheerleaders set a high-spirited mood, kicking off the Friday night pep rally with a stylized routine.



These students enjoy "all the comforts of home" in the parking lot of the athletic complex prior to the Homecoming game.



Smiles abounded as students awaited the Homecoming parade.



Forensic science and "chem" students displayed their entrant in the Homecoming float and banner contest.





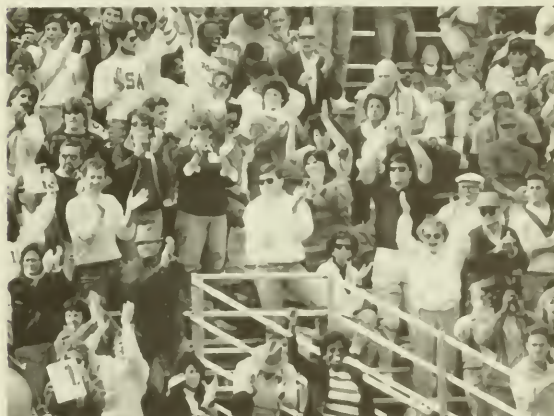
The Day Student Government float featured "bee repellent" to help the Chargers in their effort to "wipe out" the AIC Yellowjackets at the big game.



Students riding one of the eight floats at the Homecoming parade acknowledged the cheers of those they passed.



Senior quarterback Mike Horton, who has broken numerous Charger records with his outstanding passing and scrambling, throws for a touchdown against AIC.



The UNH crowd shouted its approval as the Chargers scored.



Halftime featured a field-goal-kicking contest, which attracted over 50 entrants.



President Kaplan (right) presented a UNH blanket to James Russell Sharpe, '77, from Baltimore, MD, the alumnus who traveled the greatest distance to attend Homecoming '88.

# Parents Day

Several hundred parents, relatives, and friends of UNH students attended Parents' Day festivities on Oct. 29. Events included lunch on the North Campus, a '50s dance, and, of course, a football game featuring the Chargers *versus* Springfield College. (UNH won 34-15.)



Parents and students enjoyed lunch under a tent near the university's gymnasium on the North Campus.



Parents and their families filled the student dining hall at dinnertime.



More food was available at the President's reception after the game.



President Kaplan greeted parents, guests.



Parents' Association Chairman Robert Burbank addressed parents prior to the '50s dance. Burbank was awarded a UNH blanket in recognition of his many contributions to the university and to the parents organization.



"We're having a ball" was a comment heard from many who attended the '50s dance, which concluded the day's activities.



# ALUMNI

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## New Haven Mayor to Receive Award at Scholarship Ball

New Haven Mayor Biagio (Ben) DiLieto, AS'63, has been named the UNH Distinguished Alumnus for 1989. He will receive the prestigious award at the university's sixth annual Scholarship Ball, which will be held at the Yale Commons on April 1.

DiLieto, who studied public administration at the university, has been mayor of New Haven since January 1980. Before his election to that post, he served as New Haven's chief of police for six years.

The Scholarship Ball is held each spring to benefit the UNH Alumni Association Scholarship Fund. This endowed fund was established in 1984 by members of the UNH Alumni Association council and board of directors. Partial scholarships, drawn from the interest earned by the fund and based on academic merit, are granted to day and evening undergraduates and to graduate students.



Hon. Biagio DiLieto

As in the past, this year's ball will include cocktails, dinner, and dancing as well as the presentation of the Distinguished Alumnus Award. All alumni, friends of the university, and members of the community are cordially invited. Tickets and further information may be obtained by calling Madelyne in the university's Alumni Office at (203) 932-7270. ■

## Annual Fund Phonathon Goes Over the Top

The Annual Fund Phonathon, conducted by the Alumni/Parents' Office, has concluded with a total of \$185,000 in pledges from more than 3,500 alumni and parents. Approximately 950 pledges were received from alumni who had not previously donated. More than 700 people increased their pledges from previous levels. The telephone solicitation effort, which took place from October through December, is only one type of annual giving campaign conducted during the year by the Alumni/Parents' Office. Monies received through annual giving enable the university to continue to bring quality education to its students and to bridge the gap between tuition receipts and expenses.

Joe Cieplak B.S.'72, chaired the event this year, ably assisted by vice chairmen Ray Haviccan M.B.A.'78 and Ron Urquhart B.S.'81. Parents Association President Robert Burbank again chaired the parents' phase. An effort was made to enlist volunteer captains for each of the more than 40 evenings of phoning. The remaining telephones were staffed by students. People's Bank in Bridgeport again joined forces with UNH by bringing in groups of employees for a number of evenings. Ron Urquhart and Ray Lesandrine B.S.'80 have made a tradition of this service to their *alma mater*.

Bob Zeig B.A.'73 certainly gets a prize for being the alumnus who traveled the longest distance to volunteer for an evening of phoning. He works and lives in New York. Other alumni volunteers: Robert Barrington M.B.A.'77, Carolyn Bell B.S.'87, Jeff Bongo E.M.B.A.'88, Joe Cieplak, Al Coppola

M.B.A.'72, Chris DeLise B.S.'85, Patrick Egolum M.S.'80, John Ferretti B.S.'81, Dick Gulganda B.S.'74, Ray Haviccan, Jack Hearn M.B.A.'82, Nancy Hearn B.S.'82, Bob Leone B.S.'86, Ray Lesandrine, Len Murzin M.S.'81, Marty Platt B.S.'75, Michelle Robeson M.B.A.'87, Pat Rosenbaum E.M.B.A.'86, Frank Schneiders A.S.'54, Kelly Smith B.S.'85, Joe Soja B.S.'65, Bohdan Sowa B.A.'72, Larry Spellacy B.S.'66, Giovanna Torino B.S.'85, Ron Urquhart, Don Wall B.S.'66, Jo Wyszchen E.M.B.A.'87, and Bob Zeig.

Special mention should also be made of those members of the UNH community who went to Room 5 in the basement of Maxcy Hall after a full day's work to phone alumni with enthusiasm and good humor, giving them news of campus happenings in addition to offering them an opportunity to share in the university's continued growth with a gift to the Annual Fund. The staff honor roll reads as follows: Toni Blood, Milly Bohannah, Bob Caruso, Hanko Dobi, Beth Gazley, Sylvia Hyde, Arnold Hyman, Cheryl Lison, Joel Marks, O.H. Porter and Joe Spellman M.A.'83.

The backbone and mainstay of the many calling sessions was a corps of student phoners whose sincerity and dedication yielded much of the success of this project. The "regulars" included: Donna Bishop, Robert Brenner, Justin Edwards, Jim Gesso, Beth Haines, Steve Harris, Mike Horbal, Jeff Jenkins, Rob Killeen, John Lindner, Theon McShie, Leslie Sussman, Jennifer Tarquinio, Jeanette Thomas, Nancy Timek, Chris Walsh, Mickey Weinstein, Sharice Williams and Lynette Young. ■



UNH student Jeanette Thomas participated in the Annual Fund Phonathon, which ran from October to December.

## Increased Role for Alumni Being Sought By Admissions, Cooperative Education

Do you know a potential student — someone in your community, or your family, who might be interested in attending UNH? Would you be willing to discuss your profession with, or provide career guidance to, a co-op student at the University?

If the answer to either of these questions is yes, the university would like to hear from you.

There are a variety of ways in which you can help. For example, you might wish to join the **Alumni Admissions Program**. About 30 alumni in several states are currently participating in this effort. Their activities include referring prospective students to UNH, accompanying UNH admissions counselors to college fairs and receptions in areas near their homes or places of employment, visiting

high schools in their localities, providing telephone follow-up to students who have already been admitted to the university, and hosting information sessions for potential students.

As the UNH admissions program grows, more alumni help is needed to reach high school and two-year college students in numerous states who might be interested in the university. If you can spare a little time and would like to join the admissions staff in expanding and refining the university's recruiting effort, please contact Dana Montini in the Undergraduate Admissions Office at (203) 932-7324 or toll-free at 1-800-DIAL-UNH.

Another way in which you might assist is through the UNH cooperative education

department, which is looking for alumni involvement in the newly formed **Alumni/Co-op Assistance Network**. This fledgling group has been established to answer co-op students' career-related questions, provide career guidance, and help students make a smooth transition from the classroom to the working world of their co-op assignments.

More than 400 students are currently participating in the co-op program at UNH. Most would welcome the opportunity to talk with alumni and gain from their experience. If you would be interested in joining this network, you are encouraged to contact Patricia Bolles, assistant director of cooperative education, at (203) 932-7251 or 933-8371. ■

## Alumni Notes

### 1929

Vincent J. Dorgan has been married 50 years and is now living in Arlington, VA. He is retired from the CIA, where he was a Certified Public Accountant.

### 1954

Francis A. Schneiders, president of Enthone, Inc. (member of the UNH Board of Governors, currently president of the Alumni Association and Chairman of the Fund For Engineering Campaign) has recently been appointed, by Enthone's parent company ASARCO, to be president of the OMI International Corp. of Warren, MI.

### 1967

Rosemary D. Schaeffer is owner/manager of On Occasion, floral specialties. She lives in Hamden with her husband and three children.

Robert A. Winters is assistant vice president and investment officer for Wright Investors' Service of Bridgeport, CT.

### 1971

Gerald Feldman has joined the firm of Schwartz & Hoefflich CPAs based in Norwalk, CT, and will serve as the company's computer consulting director.

### 1974

William C. Bruce is vice president and corporate counsel of the Pirelli/Armstrong Tire Corporation, New Haven, CT. Mr. Bruce is also on the UNH Board of Governors and the Alumni Council.

Brian Kennedy is adult education director for the Naugatuck Board of Education. His past experience has been as a swim coach for 10 years, interim athletic director, and part-time teacher and treasurer for Naugatuck High School. He hopes to enhance communication between the community and the adult education programs in Naugatuck, CT.

### OPPORTUNITIES TO ASSIST UNH

If you are able to assist the admissions staff or the cooperative education department, please complete this coupon and mail to: UNH Alumni Office, 300 Orange Avenue, West Haven, CT 06516.

I am ready and willing to help with the:

☐ Alumni Admissions Program ☐ Alumni/Co-op Assistance Network

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Home) (Office)

Best Time To Reach Me \_\_\_\_\_

I am unable to participate in the above programs at this time, but I know of one or more students who might be interested in UNH. Please send information about the university to:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Referred by \_\_\_\_\_

(Please use additional sheet if necessary.)



Charles Amey



## 1975

**Charles Amey** has been appointed to full time faculty position at Champlain College, Burlington, VT. He is instructor in the Hotel-Restaurant Management program.

**Joseph A. Slogeris** is director of marketing, power products for Aerovox, Inc., New Bedford, MA.

**Joseph Zych** is vice president of the brokerage division for the Alan Fischer Companies, Inc. in Bridgeport, CT.



Joseph A. Slogeris

## 1976

**Charles Adonzo III** recently passed the brokers examination and is licensed to sell and appraise real estate under the name Atlas Realty, Inc. in Plains Township, PA.

**Edward Davies** was recently promoted to Deputy Warden at the Connecticut Correctional Center of Bridgeport. He is a twelve year veteran of the Department of Correction and lives in Milford with his wife and daughter.

**Patrick F. Hedge** is Chief of Police in Stonington, CT. He was chosen by the Board of Police Commissioners unanimously, and is one of the highest ranking officers in the Connecticut State Police.

## 1977

**James Fettes**, of Old Lyme, CT, has joined the faculty of Mattatuck Community College as an assistant professor of business and will teach economics and finance.

**Richard S. Holdt** is vice president of marketing for Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Connecticut and has been elected president of the Connecticut Society to Prevent Blindness. He lives in Wallingford.

**Carl J. Maleri, Jr.** has been named executive vice president and chief operating officer of Community Health Care Plan (CHCP) headquartered in New Haven, CT.

**William (Skip) Sagar** of Northford has been named director, national replacement sales, for Armstrong Tire Co. of New Haven, CT.

**Paul W. Stetson** has been elected President of the New Haven Chapter of the National Association of Accountants, New Haven, CT.

## 1978

**Joseph E. Kauczka** of Kingston, PA, is food services manager at the John Heinz Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine.

**John Rahaim** was named artificial intelligence (AI) marketing manager at Digital Equipment Company, Worcester, MA. He is responsible for worldwide AI marketing strategy and for relationships with various product and industry marketing organizations which focus on AI.

## 1979

**William W. Cote** is assistant vice president at the Derby Savings Bank. He lives in East Haven, CT, where he also serves on the Board of Education.

**Murray Gerber**, president and founder of Prototype & Plastic Mold and member of the UNH Board of Governors, recently celebrated groundbreaking for a 9,000 square foot addition at his headquarters in the Middletown Industrial Park. The Connecticut based plastic mold manufacturer also has a plant in Pittsfield, MA.

## 1980

**Karen T. Cascini** of Wallingford, CT, recently received her Ph.D. from the University of Connecticut. She is also Chairperson of the accounting department at the University of Bridgeport and is a practicing CPA.

**Gary J. Robinson** is vice president and regional administrator of American National Bank's Northern Region, based in Hamden, CT.

## 1981

**Steven H. Rosenberg** is vice president and chief financial officer at Saint Francis Hospital and Medical Center in Hartford, CT.

**Donna M. Simpson** has been appointed manager-company relations and special events at the General Dynamics Electric Boat Division of Groton, CT. She and her husband live in Noank.

## 1982

**Clifford R. Hastings** is director, marketing for Cytem Specialty Steel Division, Cyclops Corporation, in Titusville PA.

**Lois M. Mandelberg** is head of production at Library of Congress, Washington, DC, Division of the Blind and Physically Handicapped. She is responsible for production of all books in braille and talking books which produces around 2500 titles a year. Her daughter Ruth O'Keefe will be a 1989 graduate of UNH. Lois and her husband Martin live in Arlington, VA.

## 1983

**Joseph S. Coco**, of Stonington, CT, has been promoted to sergeant in the Stonington Police Department.

**Mark A. Fell** has been named Connecticut agency representative for Title Insurance Company of Minnesota, headquartered in Stamford.

**Jerry M. McGurken** is general manager-Force Measurement Division, for the Revere Corporation of America. He and his wife Patty live in Madison, CT, with their three daughters.

**Frank Teti, Jr.** is corporate security manager in charge of safety for the Shawmut National Corporation, and is responsible for over 14,000 employees and over 500 buildings in Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New York, Pennsylvania, and Florida.

**John A. Tranquilli** is vice president in charge of branch administration for The Bank Mart in Bridgeport, CT. John is active in the Bridgeport Business and Industry Council, United Way, Rotary International and the Boy Scouts. He is a resident of Hamden.

## 1984

**Donald Beausejour** has been promoted to captain in the New Haven Police Department, New Haven, CT.

**Sherman Drew** was awarded a Juris Doctor degree by the New England School of Law during recent commencement exercises. He is senior tax analyst for Textron, Inc., in Providence, RI, and lives in Cranston with his wife and their three children.

## 1985

**Ronald Buchanan** is general manager, Aerospace Division of Revere Corporation of America. He and his wife Cora and their three children live in Oxford, CT.

**Matthew J. Ramia** was awarded a Juris Doctor degree from the Western New England College School of Law and is currently working as a law clerk in Springfield, MA.

## 1987

**Elizabeth A. Brown** is financial analyst in the commercial credit department of Fleet-Norstar of Utica, NY. Her parents reside in Clinton.

**Hilbert (Bert) Giscombe** is director, finance for Mead Johnson, Jamaica Ltd. Latin America Division. He and his family will be relocating to Kingston, Jamaica.

## 1988

**Deborah Vining** has accepted a position with Life Codes, a laboratory in New York, where she is involved in DNA fingerprinting.

## Marriages

## 1968

**Charles V. Stebbins** to Deborah L. Williams

## 1970

**Edmund M. Burke, Jr.** to Gloria M. McMillan  
**Patricia L. Gagliardi** to Richard N. Loope

## 1974

**Louis J. Bonito** to Doreen S. Keller

## 1975

**Michael J. Fuschi** to Yvonne L. Goguen

## 1977

**David R. Cameron** to Terri S. Randall  
**Joanne F. Mitchell** to Christopher J. Patsilelis

## 1978

**Philip M. Miller** to Joanne LoPresti

## 1980

**Mary G. Capasso** to Michael J. Sanca  
**Richard M. Crowley, Jr.** to Pamela J. Peet  
**Karen A. Pace** to Richard S. Utenis

## 1981

**Stephen J. Fiondella** to Louise M. Rich  
**Ronald C. Krajewski** to RoseMary C. Leach  
**Raymond J. Proto** to Dianne M. Uccella  
**E. William Weyeneth** to Pamela McClure

## 1982

**Michael A. Carrier** to Rita P. Porretta  
**Michele D. Jaworski** to Ilano DiMasi  
**Sebastian Lisitano** to Donna M. Gill  
**Jolene J. Morley** to John D. Rolston

## 1983

**Allen N. Bickel** to Karen A. Card  
**James R. Finneran** to Paula A. Dahan  
**Carla A. Testa** to Anthony F. Christina II

## 1984

**Barry S. Bemis** to Donna J. Maruszak  
**Craig F. Gallick** to Linda M. Maher  
**Edward F. Wynne, Jr.** to Sharon J. Marrone

## 1985

**Ensign Thomas D. Combs III** to Renee-Marie Emond  
**Paul A. Hovan** to Susan J. Mylen  
**Patricia J. Soldra** to Arthur A. Gaudreau

## 1986

James F. Dempsey, Jr. to Joan C. Zaleski  
Daniel A. Figuly to Mary F. Nicolson  
Thomas Madison to Jill Karsmarski  
Deborah Sadoski to Michael Graves  
Terri L. Thompson to Robert L. Fish

## 1987

Elayne Fierra to Theodore Schwartz  
Paul D. Krampitz to Milyn A. Truglio  
Kimberly A. Lenahan to Scott Brantfuhr

## 1988

Larry Anderson to Christine Petro  
Shawn W. Knox to Sheila M. Tucker  
Donna M. Pisanelli to Charles A. Veci, Jr.  
Gina Marie Stevens to Sean P. McNamee  
Scott K. Wilderman to Mary Lou Hoopmann

## Deaths

## 1935

John I. Johnson

## 1946

John V. Lillis

## 1957

Emory Champagne

## 1960

Henry C. Ashley

## 1962

Paul Casher  
David W. Jones  
Robert C. Welter

## 1966

Raymond A. Rzasa

## 1970

Charles T. Halligan

## 1971

Lawrence R. Barrett

## 1973

Ralph F. Dellamaura  
Lee Presnell

## 1974

Gennaro Biondi

## 1977

John T. Mulligan, Jr.

## 1979

Raymond G. Picagli, Jr.

## 1982

William J. Mitchell  
John Henry Strachan

## 1988

Norleen E. Mayo

# University of New Haven

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Las Vegas ..... April 27, 1989  
5 days, Air, Flamingo Hilton / Riviera, shows and optional sight-seeing.

Bermuda ..... May 19, 1989  
5 days, Hamilton Princess, Air, Sea Garden Cruise, 8 meals and more.

Washington D.C. .... June 15, 1989  
4 days, White House, Smithsonian, Supreme Court, Arlington Cemetery, Immaculate Conception Shrine, 8 meals.

Quebec ..... July 9, 1989  
Deluxe Motorcoach, Parliament, Montmorency Falls, Chez Guido, the Citadel, 6 meals.

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4 days, Waterfront Hotels, Clambake, Harbor Cruise, Carousel Theatre, Freeport, Kennebunkport, 6 meals.

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# COLLETTE TOURS



## SPORTS

This information was prepared and written by the Sports Information staff at the Athletics Dept.

## Chargers Claim Victory Over Central Florida

*For many on the team, the highlight of the 1988 Charger football season was a trip to Florida to play the powerful University of Central Florida. UNH won that game in a stunning victory over a heavily favored opponent. But, in more ways than one, it was not a piece of cake — as Sports Information Director Jack Jones reports.*

Among the obstacles facing the University of New Haven football squad when it traveled to Orlando to play Central Florida on Oct. 8 were several psychological problems. The first malady, an identity crisis, began at New York's LaGuardia airport.

"Excuse me, is this a football team?" an elderly lady asked as we boarded the airplane.

"Yes, we're the University of New Haven football team. We're playing the University of Central Florida Saturday night," this author replied.

"New Haven? You mean New Haven, Connecticut? I have family from there," she replied.

"Well, actually the school is located in West Haven, Connecticut," I informed her.

"Then why isn't it the University of West Haven?"

A good question, but one I could not answer.

The crisis continued to haunt the Chargers throughout their journey. But just as the Chargers became accustomed to their anonymity, another psychological problem plagued them — an inferiority complex.

"So this is the New Haven team. It's a long way to travel for a football game," a

stadium maintenance man said.

"You're right," I agreed.

"But the weather makes up for the long trip. Right now, it's 35 degrees and raining in West Haven."

"West Haven? I thought this was New Haven."

I started to explain but then thought, why bother. Before I had a chance to reply, the maintenance man continued.

"Well, I guess you guys get a trip to Orlando and Central Florida gets a win."

"We might give you a better game than you think."

"Hey, when this place fills up with 20,000 people you guys will be standing there amazed. By the time you snap out of it, we'll have a 14-0 lead. I've seen it happen before."

Although the team was spared this prophetic prediction, it could not escape the inferiority complex. The newspapers predicted Central to win by 10 points and a local television station had New Haven as a 13-point underdog. After all, Central was the number two team in the country and New Haven was unranked.

The squad could not even get away from the problem on its trip to Disney World. Central Florida fans told the team it was in over its head and didn't have a chance. This was not the best place or way to boost confidence.

"The fact that no one knew us and didn't think we could win pumped us up," wide receiver Bob Wietcha said. "We wanted to beat them and show them who we were so they would remember us for a long time."

"We were in awe of the stadium," Wietcha continued. "But once we played the first series [ot downs], we knew we could play with them."

Not only did the Chargers play with them, they beat Central Florida by a 31-23 count. The team was not awed by the 22,641 fans, and New Haven proved it was not in over its head. As the final minutes ticked away, reporters scurried to get more information on this "unknown team."

"This team is from Connecticut, right?"

"Is this team really from West Haven or is this a misprint?"

"What's their nickname?"

Head Coach Mark Whipple summed it up best when he said, "Our program has never seen anything like this. This was the number two team in the country. It doesn't get much better than this."

The victory put New Haven on the map, both in Florida and across the country. Although Freud may never have thought of it, a win seemed to be the best cure for the Chargers' psychological woes. ■

## Football Wrap-up

The scoreboard showed a 26-2 win over Bloomsburg but Charger football fans were still disappointed, because the game marked the end of play for the Class of '89, one of the finest in UNH football history. During the seniors' four-year stay, the Chargers posted a 29-11 record.

The senior class boasts many talented players, including UNH's most prolific passer, Mike Horton. The quarterback holds 16 university records, including most passing yards (6,836), career passing touchdowns (42), career total offense (7,001 yards) and career completions (509). He became the first passer to throw for over 2,000 yards in two separate seasons, with 2,268 yards in 1988

Although they don't receive much recognition, the Charger offensive line will feel the effects of Rob Thompson's and Isaac Kelley's graduation. The tackles were two of the best in the area. Thompson earned an All-ECAC award in 1987 and capped 1988 with a Kodak All-America award. In their three years on the starting line, the duo helped the offense gain over 10,000 total yards.

Flanker Bob Wietcha grabbed his 100th career pass against Towson State, finishing his career with 109 receptions for 1,446 yards. He enjoyed his finest season in '88 with 46 catches for 654 yards and one touchdown.

Defensively, the Blue and Gold will have to replace safeties Mike Dobos and Walt Oko. The pair represents 321 total tackles (174 solos) and 11 interceptions in four years.

The Chargers put together a 7-3 season in 1988, narrowly missing the playoffs. Although the season had many highlights, the win over Central Florida in front of 22,000 plus fans had to be the ultimate. New Haven entered the game unranked while Central held the number two ranking with a 5-0 record. But the Florida fans left the Citrus Bowl with an empty feeling as the Chargers posted a 31-23 victory.

New Haven opened the season with wins over California, PA (35-31), Edinboro (30-14) and Norwich (35-14). Big plays won the season opener against California as cornerback Richie Scott returned two interceptions for touchdowns and Pierre Fils ran back a punt for a score. Scott was named the ECAC Defensive Player of the Week for his performance. The Chargers' potent offense gained over 1,000 total yards and scored 65 points against Norwich and Edinboro.

Turnovers were the cause of the first Blue and Gold defeat, a 21-14 setback to Central Connecticut. New Haven gave up the ball four times, resulting in 14 points.

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## Women Volleyballers Have Another Shining Season

When Head Coach Debbie Chin opened pre-season camp for the women's volleyball team in August, she had two goals in mind — to improve on last year's 25-16 record and to receive a bid to the NCAA tournament.

The Chargers accomplished the first goal with a 44-5 regular season record, including a 26-match winning streak. The second goal was met on Nov. 22 when New Haven received an NCAA bid, its fifth in the last six seasons.

The Blue and Gold made the best of this year's NCAA appearance by defeating the United States Naval Academy in three straight games, 15-10, 15-6, 15-7. The victory placed the Chargers in the national quarter-finals, Dec. 9-10, marking the farthest a New Haven volleyball team has ever advanced. Ann Marie Bahantka earned the most valuable player award for her performance against Navy.

The Chargers took on Portland State, the nation's number one team, Dec. 9, at North Dakota State University. The team lost, 15-11, 15-6, 15-8, and Portland went on to win the championship. However, a member of the Chargers, Shirley Bacon, was named second team All-American.

Although their NCAA

performance will probably be the most memorable flashback, the Chargers have enough highlights to fill a newsreel. The volleyball team set school records for most wins in a season and most consecutive wins.

Another New Haven first occurred at the University of Delaware Invitational Tournament where the volleyballers swept five Division I opponents, capturing their first Delaware tourney title. The Blue and Gold finished the season with a perfect 7-0 record against Division I schools.

Speaking of perfect records, Coach Chin's crew ran its New England Collegiate Conference overall record to 62-0, winning their seventh consecutive conference title.

To cap off the title, New Haven's starting six filled the entire All-NECC first team. The Charger starters are Shirley Bacon, Luana Perry, Lisa Reza, Marangeli Calimano, Noel Ostrander and Ann Marie Bahantka.

Since her players accomplished so much in 1988, Coach Chin decided to join her squad in personal achievements. The 13-year coach earned her 400th career victory on Nov. 12 when New Haven defeated C.W. Post in the New Haven Classic. Chin owns an impressive 403-135 record (.749 winning percentage).

New Haven prepared itself well for the NCAA playoffs by playing in seven tournaments. The squad won six of those tourneys and placed second in the other.

The regular season statistics show that Bacon led the team with a .401 attack percentage, 641 kills and 144 total blocks. Reza's 961 assists were a team high, followed closely by Bahantka with 646 assists. Reza also registered a team-leading 138 service aces while Calimano's 221 digs led the squad in that area. ■



Co-captains of the 1988 volleyball team, Shirley Bacon and Ann Marie Bahantka, led the team to the NCAA tournament.

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After the Central Florida victory, the Chargers dropped a 51-21 decision to American International College. The Yellow Jackets scored on five of their first six possessions, taking a commanding 35-7 halftime lead.

New Haven rebounded with a 32-13 win over Southern Connecticut as Weaver Williams gained 146 yards on the ground. He also scored two touchdowns, one on a five yard pass and another on a one yard plunge. One week later, the Chargers used Pierre Fils' 93 yard

kickoff return and 23 yard touchdown reception to defeat Springfield 34-15.

Despite losing 31-17 to Towson State, Mike Horton enjoyed his best day of 1988, completing 23 of 51 passes for 395 yards and one touchdown. Dan Schwab caught five passes for 115 yards while Fils had five catches for 87 yards.

Although the coaching staff will lose quality players to graduation, 17 starters will return to play in 1989. Next year may be the year that the Chargers receive that elusive NCAA playoff bid. ■



Charger standout Pierre Fils.

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## Soccer Team Finishes 1988 Season With 7-9-1 Record

Records can be deceiving, especially when you are talking about the University of New Haven soccer team. The Chargers finished their 1988 campaign with a 7-9-1 record, including a 1-0 win over Southampton in the season finale. The Kean College game was cancelled due to bad weather.

When you consider that the Blue and Gold faced seven of the nation's Top 20 teams and lost six contests by only one goal, Coach Joe Maher's squad held its own in 1988. With a few key recruits, 1989 could be the year New Haven regains its winning edge.

The Chargers put themselves on the line immediately, opening the season against the number two team in the region and nationally ranked C.W. Post. Post tallied a second half goal, winning the game 1-0. New Haven lost its second contest by an identical score to Westfield State, a team which went unbeaten in its first 10 games.

In their NECC opener, the Blue and Gold defeated the University of Lowell 3-2 in overtime. Doug Emestica opened the scoring but Lowell answered with two goals late in the first half. Just before the half ended, Ronen Shay knotted the game off Petur Valdimarsson's assist. Tony Inyama gave the Chargers their first victory, converting Shay's cross in the first overtime.

A 30-second span was all N.Y. Tech needed to score two goals, taking a 2-1 win in West Haven. Inyama netted the lone New Haven goal, assisted by Emestica. For 100 minutes, the Chargers battled Franklin Pierce in a scoreless game. Ricardo Ortiz scored his first goal of the season on a breakaway, giving New Haven a 1-0 lead. Pierce came right back to tally two goals in the final six minutes to win a

2-1 game.

New Haven removed the sour taste of defeat by beating Pace University, 2-1, and Queens College, 4-1. Against Pace, Chris Anigala drilled a shot just inside the right post to give the Chargers a 1-0 lead. Pace tied the game on a penalty kick but Ian Pollard scored the game-winner with a shot just under the cross bar with six minutes left in the game.

Queens grabbed a 1-0 lead at 53:50 before the Blue and Gold erupted for four goals in a 15-minute span. Emestica knotted the game, knocking in a rebound at 64:27. Shay converted Joe Oha's pass at 75:56 and Oha scored off Shay's feed at 86:05, spotting New Haven a 3-1 lead. Pollard closed the scoring with eight seconds remaining in the match.

The Chargers played to their only draw of the season, a 1-1 game against Quinnipiac



Ronen Shay, co-captain of the men's 1988 soccer team.



Tony Inyama, co-captain of the men's 1988 soccer team.

College. Despite unleashing 17 shots, New Haven could not put one in the net, losing to Sacred Heart by a 1-0 margin.

Dowling visited West Haven and the Blue and Gold promptly sent the Lions home with a 5-0 loss. Goalie Philippe Hilaire turned away 11 shots, earning his first shutout of the year. Inyama, Anigala, Emestica, Shay, and Frank Omonte each netted a goal for the Chargers.

In the next match, New Haven hosted Southern Connecticut, losing to the 1987 National Champions by a 4-0 score. New Haven rebounded with an impressive 4-0 win at Eastern Connecticut State University. Inyama scored the first and last goal with Anigala and Pollard adding the other two tallies. Marco Ventura stopped five shots, registering his first shutout of the year.

After a scoreless first half, Inyama spotted New Haven a 1-0 lead over New Hampshire College, the number one team in the nation. The Penmen held onto their undefeated record by scoring two goals in the final eight minutes, winning 2-1.

After dropping a 3-1 decision to Keene State, the Chargers knocked off the number five team in the country, the University of

Bridgeport, by a 3-0 count.

Mercy College downed New Haven before the Blue and Gold finished the 1988 season with a 1-0 win over Southampton. Shay scored the lone goal off an assist from Inyama. Hilaire recorded his third shutout of the season, making four saves in the contest.

Tony Inyama was named to the New England Collegiate Conference first team and also received an invitation to play in the prestigious New England All-Star Game, in which he assisted on one of two goals scored by his team. Forward Chris Anigala earned a spot on the NECC second team after scoring five goals and three assists during the regular season. Anigala was second to Inyama's seven goals and two assists in 1988.

A stranger to the New Haven soccer program would see this year's record and think it was an off-season. But Charger fans know that the team played an extremely difficult schedule and just missed a winning season by a goal or two.

Next year's freshmen mixed with Coach Maher's seasoned veterans may turn this year's deceiving record into next year's winning one ■

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